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SUBJECT: BROADBENT ELECTED NATIONAL LEADER OF NEW DEMOCRATIC
PARTY

1. EDWARD BROADBENT, NEW DEMOCRATIC PARTY (NDP)
PARLIAMENTARY LEADER, WAS ELECTED JULY 7 AS NEW
NATIONAL LEADER OF THE NDP ON THE FOURTH BALLOT AT
WINNIPEG CONVENTION. FINAL RESULTS WERE 948 VOTES
FOR BROADBENT AND 658 VOTES FOR ROSEMARY BROWN. OTHER
CANDIDATES- NYSTROM, HARNEY AND CAMPBELL- WERE NOT
IN THE RUNNING ON FOURTH BALLOT.

2. BROADBENT ELECTION WAS NOT SURPRISE ALTHOUGH HE DID
NOT RUN AS STRONGLY IN EARLY BALLOTING AS EXPECTED. FIRST
BALLOT RESULTS WERE: BROADBENT 536, BROWN 413,
NYSTROM 345, HARNEY 313 AND CAMPBELL 11.
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